The Nature Conservancy

Total Lobbying Effort

Total Lobbying Expenditures

2015 January - June	2015 July - December	2016 January - June	2016 July - December	Total
\$39,502.30	\$2,171.65	\$21,811.14		\$63,485.09

Total Hours Communicating

2015 January - June	2015 July - December	2016 January - June	2016 July - December	Total
17.75	10.50	54.00		82.25

Total Hours Other

2015 January - June	2015 July - December	2016 January - June	2016 July - December	Total	
91.50	31.00	119.00		241.50	

Hours Lobbied on Each Matter

Lobbying Effort On Legislative Bills And Resolutions

Assembly Bill 21

Relating to: state finances and appropriations, constituting the executive budget act of the 2015 legislature.

2015	2015	2016	2016	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	2.00 (5%)			2.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 15

Relating to: the manufacture and acceptance for sale of products containing microbeads. (FE)

2015	2015	2016	2016	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		3.00 (2%)		3.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 54

Relating to: the authority of a county to zone shorelands in a town that is located entirely on an island and authorized to exercise village powers.

2015 January - June	2015 July - December	2016 January - June	2016 July - December	Total
		35.00 (20%)		35.00 (11%)

Assembly Bill 71

Relating to: aid payments on, and city, village, town, and county approval of, certain lands purchased by the Department of Natural Resources and restrictions on the purchase of land by the Board of Commissioners of Public Lands. (FE)

2015 January - June	2015 July - December	2016 January - June	2016 July - December	Total
		9.00 (5%)		9.00 (3%)

Assembly Bill 105

Relating to: groundwater management, approval of high capacity wells, and granting rule-making authority. (FE)

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2015	2015	2016	2016	Total

January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	IUlai
11.00 (10%)		35.00 (20%)		46.00 (14%)

Assembly Bill 251

Relating to: various changes regarding administrative rules and rule-making procedures; time limits for emergency rules; and making an appropriation. (FE)

2015	2015	2016	2016	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		9.00 (5%)		9.00 (3%)

Senate Bill 239

Relating to: replacement, reconstruction, and transfer of an approved high capacity well. (FE)

2015	2015	2016	2016	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	2.00 (5%)			2.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 561

Relating to: taxes on managed forest lands, eligibility for the managed forest land program, management plans for managed forest land, sale or transfer of managed forest land, productivity of managed forest land, closed managed forest land, forest production areas, natural heritage inventory, wildlife action plans, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority. (FE)

2015	2015	2016	2016	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	4.00 (10%)			4.00 (1%)

Assembly Bill 559

Relating to: eliminating the restriction on leasing managed forest land.

2015	2015	2016	2016	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		35.00 (20%)		35.00 (11%)

Senate Bill 434

Relating to: taxes on managed forest lands, eligibility for the managed forest land program, management plans for managed forest land, sale or transfer of managed forest land, productivity of managed forest land, closed managed forest land, forest production areas, natural heritage inventory, wildlife action plans, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority. (FE)

2015 January - June	2015 July - December	2016 January - June	2016 July - December	Total
	4.00 (10%)			4.00 (1%)

Assembly Bill 477

Relating to: approvals for high capacity wells, designation of sensitive resource areas, providing exemptions from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority. (FE)

2015 January - June	2015 July - December	2016 January - June	2016 July - December	Total
		26.00 (15%)		26.00 (8%)

Assembly Bill 600

Relating to: the regulation of navigable waters and wetlands. (FE)

2015	2015	2016	2016	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	8.00 (20%)			8.00 (2%)

Assembly Bill 640

Relating to: regulation of aquaculture and fish farms. (FE)

2015	2015	2016	2016	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		5.00 (3%)		5.00 (2%)

Lobbying Effort On Budget Bill Subjects

Natural Resources: Departmentwide					
2015 January - June	2015 July - December	2016 January - June	2016 July - December	Total	
98.00 (90%)	2.00 (5%)			100.00 (31%)	

Lobbying Effort On Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

All Natural resources issues. All DNR issues. All Stewardship issues. All Land issues. All water issues All DNR budget issues

2015	2015	2016	2016	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	10.38 (25%)			10.38 (3%)

Minor Efforts

(Time spent on matters each of which accounted for less than 10% of the organization's lobbying)

2015 January - June	2015 July - December	2016 January - June	2016 July - December	Total
	4 (10%)	17 (10%)		21.45 (6.63%)

Other Matters

Includes time spent on:

- Gubernatorial nominations
- Matters on which the organization made no lobbying communication

2015 January - June	2015 July - December	2016 January - June	2016 July - December	Total
	4.15 (10%)			4.15 (1.28%)